

The Store FOR Women BEEHIVE Ladies Outfitters

We are Still at it with our CLEARANCE SALE! Hurry and get some of the plums today

- Silk Waists values up to \$7.50 at \$2.50
Silk Waists values up to \$5.00 at 1.99
White Waists, last summers styles 49c
Coats, House Dresses 99c

OCEAN, BAR, BAY, DOCK AND RIVER

Captain Hull, of the steamer Wenona, reported yesterday that the Gray's River country is widely and deeply flooded by the rains and the swelling mountain streams that intersect that region.

The gasoline motor sloop Condon, Captain Adams, has arrived down from Portland, with a cargo of general merchandise for Yaquina and Alsea, and is tied up at the O. R. & N. piers, awaiting a chance to slip out over the Columbia river bar, but as long as these gales continue he is quite "at home" in the berth.

The Government Engineers' steamer Arago, Captain Buchanan, and the dredger William S. Ladd, are both out of the "ice-pack" at Westport, the former coming to her berth at the O. R. & N. docks here, and the Ladd going to work in the channel near Pillar Rock, on some unfinished project of improvement.

The steamer Lurline came down the river yesterday, arriving here at 7:30 o'clock last evening. She did a big run of business, and will go back at 6 o'clock this morning.

The steamers South Bay and St. Helen's, from San Francisco, are looked for in this port this morning. The Homer did not leave San Francisco as was expected, and will start from there today, for this port and Portland.

Captain Vesey, of Portland, surveyor for Lloyds, came back from the wreck of the French ship Alice, on north beach, yesterday evening, and his report on the vessel and cargo, is that they are total losses.

The steamer Tamalpais was the only coaster reporting here yesterday and she went on up the river after a brief stay at the Callender dock.

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WATERMAN'S DEPT. STORE 9th and Commercial Streets

- New shipment of Brown and Yellow ware just in
Milk Boilers 20 to 30 cents
Custard Cups 5 cents
Bowls 20 to 55 cents
Pie Plates 10 cents

Saturday Special Will be Towels 2 feet wide and 4 feet long, regular price 15c will sell at 10 cents.

Watch Whose Windows for Bargains? WATERMAN'S

GALE ATTAINED RATE OF 70 MILES

BLEW DOWN BARNS AND DID MUCH OTHER COSTLY DAMAGE.

It was reported yesterday that the gale of Monday night blew down two barns in the Lewis and Clark region belonging to Mrs. William Kinney. One of the barns was totally wrecked, and as it fell one horse was badly hurt, and the hay and other contents of the structure were scattered far and wide by the wind.

The gale of Monday night and early yesterday morning was one of the fiercest of the year, and one that did much damage of a minor nature in and around the city. At North Head it was reported the wind attained a velocity of 70 miles an hour, but it is said to be probable that the gale exceeded this here.

One of the features of the gale was the peculiar effect it had upon scores and even hundreds of people. Yesterday it seemed that half of the people on the streets complained that they had been unable to sleep during the storm, and in some instances this was clearly not due to any noises made by the wind.

Monday, of course, was "wash day," and Monday afternoon and evening were so soft and balmy that many housewives left their clothes out on the lines over night. When the wind came up havoc was created on the lines. Table cloths coaxed off into neighbors' yards, pillow cases went sailing through the air never more to return, and nighties and other things that are usually hung out on the Monday line were interchanged by the winds with a promiscuity that was quite as ludicrous as it was embarrassing.

As a result of the gale the electric lights were put out of business, and those who had to get up early yesterday morning had to find candles or lamps, or else dress in the dark. The district messenger service was also put out of commission for a time.

Nat Jones, the tender on the county bridge between this city and the West Side, over Young's Bay, was in the city yesterday morning and reports the sou'easter was one of the worst in all his experience in this section. He says that it flattened the bridge-rail along the eastern end of the bridge from the draw to the west coast of that bay almost at one blow and he expected to find other and more serious damage when he inspected things in the morning, but was agreeably disappointed.

The big and fine plateglass window, forming the east and west angle of BRADEN-ADAMS MEAT CO

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Pork at from 8c to 15c
Mutton at from 8c to 15c
Sausages at from 10c to 12c
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Lard, 5-lb. pails 65c
Lard, 10-lb. pails \$1.30
Butter at 70c-75c
Fresh Eggs 40c

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\$3.50 to \$5.00 Pants Now \$2.60

AT

BATH ROBES



SMOKING JACKETS

THE HOME OF HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING

CAUT. E. P. PARKER TAKES A SUDDEN PLUNGE INTO YOUNG'S RIVER.

At noon on Monday last, as he was assisting John Erickson, the Smith's Point dairyman, to drive four cows from the Parker farm on Young's River to the Erickson ranch, Captain E. P. Parker had a narrow escape from drowning.

He was in a road wagon and was leading one of the cows, while Mr. Erickson was behind, on a horse, driving the other three. Someone in the woods on the east bank of Young's River fired a shotgun and it is presumed one of the scattering shot struck the horse driven by the captain and the animal (without other apparent cause), sprang over a ten-foot embankment, wagon and all, into the stream, which at that point and stage of the tide was about 16 feet deep. It was done so suddenly

the P. A. Stokes' store frontage at Commercial and Twelfth street, caved in at 5 o'clock yesterday morning under pressure of the gale, and a similar fate overtook the plate glass window in the office of J. Callaway, the merchandise broker on Eleventh street, who occupies the place jointly with the Osborne Tailoring Company.

The 80-mile wind tore one section of the A. E. power wire from its fastenings and it fell across the Postal wire, with its 2300 volts, and blew out the fuse in the office of that company, putting the Postal out of business until the onslaught could be made good.

Lame Shoulder Cured.

Lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and quickly yields to a few applications of Chamberlain's pain balm.

that there was no possible way of heading off the plunge, and the whole outfit went under. Mr. Erickson was almost paralyzed at the episode and came near fainting with fright; but rallied at once and went about the work of rescue.

Captain Parker came to the surface and finding himself free from the lines and gear, struck out for the bank, which he reached safely, and was assisted ashore; after which they secured a long branch, and with this he entered the river again and got the limb under the jaw of the animal and slowly guided it into the bank and finally got it back in the road.

The rig floated on down the river and they overtook it and by hard work recovered it and found that nothing was broken save the harness. This was temporarily repaired and the party proceeded on its way over the long bridge and down to the Erickson place, where a hot fire, some dry clothes, and a hearty meal helped to compensate for the untoward experience of the day.

It was a narrow squeak for the captain, however, and he is duly sensible of it, as much from the contemplation of the incident and its actual danger, as from the pains and pangs that were shooting through his frame all of yesterday.

Plumbers.

Plumbing service, 80 cents per hour, for all work in our line. See us; our prices are reasonable and we guarantee our work first class; a telephone call will bring our man to your home or business. Phone Main 4061, 126 Eighth street.

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